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## AFTER-FINAL AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Sir:

This communication is in response to the final Office Action mailed September 15, 2008, and is filed with a request for a one-month extension of time. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendment, reconsideration on the merits, and allowance of the claims.

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**Conclusion** begins on page 24. OK TO ENTER: /H.P./ (01/10/2009)